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NORMAL, ILLINOIS



GLADIOLUS BULBS

The Gladiolus is undoubtedly the Queen of Flowers. The most wonderful and varied shades and tints of coloring of any flower, the easiest grown and the lasting quality of the cut bloom, (a week or more) together with a season of bloom from June until frost, make Gladioli truly the

QUEEN OF FLOWERS

For a number of years our Mr. Augustine has had a test garden of Gladioli, for his own pleasure, testing the wonderful new creations of the hybridizers as they came out, keeping or discarding, as the case might be, until the plantings became so extensive we decided to pass the good thing along to our friends and customers.

Five Hundred Dollars As Premiums

We have set aside \$500.00 worth of these wonderful flowering bulbs to give away as premiums this spring with orders for other stock. See separate coupon. All the varieties we offer are our own growing—true to name—fine bulbs.

Size of Bulbs—We offer large and medium size bulbs of most varieties. The medium size bulbs will all bloom, a little later than the large size.

Prices—At the low prices we are making this spring you can well afford to plant liberally of the standard sorts and get a start with some of the wonderful newer varieties. Prices quoted are for large bulbs. Medium size bulbs will be supplied only in quantities of one half dozen or more at one half the price of large bulbs.

DESIRABLE MEDIUM PRICED VARIETIES

	Each	Half Doz.	Doz.
Alice Tiplady Large flower, orange saffron, beautiful and very popular	.15	.70	1.20
America Delicate lavender pink, an old standard variety.....	.10	.45	.75
Anna Eberius Deep purple shading into darker center, a wonderful flower . . . . .	.20	1.00	1.80
Brimstone Canary yellow with rose markings. . . . .	.20	1.00	1.80
Evelyn Kirtland Rose and shell pink, brilliant scarlet blotches. . . . .	.10	.45	.75
Gretchen Zang Melting salmon pink, large, fine. . . . .	.10	.45	.75
Flora Canary yellow, the best yellow at the price, strong grower, a good variety. . . . .	.15	.75	1.25
Ida Van Flaming salmon pink, a gorgeous flower. . . . .	.10	.50	.90
Kunderdii Glory Ruffled petals, strong grower, creamy apricot and light pink . . . . .	.15	.70	1.25
Loveliness Delicate creamy yellow, blending to faint rose in center	.10	.50	.90
Le Marechal Foch Light rose pink, vigorous, large, has attained wonderful popularity . . . . .	.10	.45	.75
Lilly White Pure white, a popular florist's variety. . . . .	.15	.75	1.25
Mrs. Mary Sterns Burke Canary yellow tinged with apricot and rose. . . . .	.20	1.00	1.80
Mrs. Dr. Norton Golden and tyrian rose. . . . .	.10	.50	.90
Mrs. Watt American Beauty Rose Color. . . . .	.10	.45	.75
Mrs. Frank Pendleton Very large showy flowers, delicate pink, large red velvet blotch in throat. . . . .	.10	.45	.75
Mrs. W. E. Fryer Orange scarlet . . . . .	.25	1.25	2.25
Mary Pickford Creamy white, yellow tinge. . . . .	.20	1.00	1.80
Maiden Blush Very early strong grower, creamy yellow overlaid with rose blush . . . . .	.15	.75	1.25
Myrtle Delicate pink shading into deeper pink, a cut flower favorite of florists, charming. . . . .	.10	.45	.75
Montezuma Dark crimson mottled yellow throat. . . . .	.20	1.00	1.80
Rev. Eubank Blue and canary yellow in throat. . . . .	.25	1.25	2.00
Thos. T. Kent Shell pink, crimson streak. . . . .	.20	1.00	1.80
Peace An old favorite, creamy white, delicate lilac marks on lower petals . . . . .	.10	.45	.75
Prince of Wales A brilliant rich salmon, deeper shade in throat. . . . .	.10	.50	.85
Panama Large bright pink, shading to light pink in throat, refined	.10	.45	.75
Sydonia Reddish violet, early and fine cut flower. . . . .	.10	.50	.85
Schwaben Light yellow, deeper center with brownish red blotch, very good . . . . .	.10	.45	.75
Wilbrink Early bright pink. . . . .	.10	.45	.75
War Deep solid blood red. . . . .	.10	.45	.75
Mixed —above varieties Our selection of kinds unnamed			
	Doz.	50	100
First size bulbs.75	3.00	5.00
Medium size bulbs.40	1.75	3.00

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GLADIOLUS BULBS
FREE

THIS COUPON when enclosed with an order for nursery stock prior to April first, 1925 and accompanied with Cash in Full entitles you to the following Gladioli FREE.

Orders of \$5.00 or over, - - One half dozen Bulbs.

Orders of \$10.00 or over - - One dozen Bulbs.

AUGUSTINE AND COMPANY
NURSERYMEN AND LANDSCAPE GARDENERS
NORMAL, ILLINOIS

These bulbs will all be good blooming size bulbs unnamed mixed.

The bulbs will be taken from our good named varieties, kinds of which we have a large stock, naturally, but among the kinds selected will be a goodly number of the higher priced new sorts. This collection of bulbs will give you some wonderful flowers.





JENNY LIND

NEW VARIETIES OF MERIT

	Each	Half Doz.	Doz.
Black Joe			
Very dark rich crimson.....	.30	1.50	2.75
B. L. Smith			
Very choice, refined, lavender pink over white ground.			
Equals an orchid . . . . .	.45	2.25	4.00
Golden Measure			
Very large tall grower, second only to Gold , by many			
classed as the finest yellow.....	.65	3.25	5.00
Gold			
A new golden that with us is the finest yellow, first medal			
at National Exhibit 1923.....	.80	4.25	7.50
Carman Sylva			
Pure snow white with slight lilac penciling in throat—			
fine . . . . .	.40	2.00	3.50
Jenny Lind			
A soft apricot pink, blending to pale yellow in throat,			
a wonderful flower . . . . .	.60	3.00	5.00
Jewell			
Golden throat shading to pink at edge of petals, a			
wonderful combination of color.....	.60	3.00	5.00
Mr. H. A. Hyde			
Snow white, pink blush.....	.40	2.00	3.50
Mrs. Jno. R. Walsh			
Ruffled, flesh pink, shading to dark ruby at throat, very			
beautiful . . . . .	.40	2.00	3.50
Purple Glory			
Dark velvet maroon red, ruffled, gorgeous.....	.75	4.00	7.00
Pollyanna			
Rich golden yellow beautifully formed.....	.50	2.50	4.50
Ruth Law			
Amber yellow, gold throat, carmine blush.....	.30	1.50	2.75
Theda Bara			
White and rose flush.....	.30	1.50	2.75



LILLY WHITE

CULTURAL INSTRUCTIONS

Plant four inches deep in rich, well prepared garden soil, double or single rows, six inches apart. Give frequent and good shallow cultivation. Watering helps during dry weather. A few rows of Gladioli planted in the flower or vegetable garden will be a great pleasure for three months.

Cutting Bloom. Leave at least four leaves when cutting to develop bulb. If cut when first blossom opens, cut off half inch of stem each day and give fresh water and they will open to the tip end and last a week or more.

Digging. Keep varieties separate and well marked. Dig after first light frost; cut off tops and let dry in shade for a week or more. Store as you would potatoes. Keep bulbs well ventilated, remove bulblets and plant one inch deep thickly; they will bloom the second year.

We aim to grow everything in the way of hardy fruits and flowers that succeed in the middle west.

Our Landscape Department is prepared to make all plans and specifications for residences, parks, or public buildings free of charge where we furnish the plants.

We will be glad to assist you in your problems.

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Nurserymen and Landscape Gardeners
Normal, Illinois
Established 1867